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In re Application of

WALKER

Application No. 09/694,191

Filed: October 23, 2000

Attorney Docket No. 96-059-C1

CORRECTED DECISION

ON PETITION

This is a corrected decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed February 2, 2004, to revive the above-identified application, which is being treated as a petition to withdraw the holding of abandonment under 37 CFR 1.181 (no fee). On November 22, 2006, a decision was incorrectly rendered for U.S. Application No. 09/964,191, instead of the requested application of U.S. Application No. 09/694,191. The previous decision of November 22, 2006 has been vacated.

The petition is **DISMISSED** as moot.

The application purportedly became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed June 10, 2003, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on December 24, 2003. According to Office records, a notice of rescinded abandonment was mailed on September 20, 2004. Since the holding of abandonment has been withdrawn, the petition to revive the above-identified application under 37 CFR 1.137(b) has become moot.

The petition fee of \$665 to revive the above-identified application under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was credited to Deposit Account 50-0271 in July 2004.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Denise Pothier at (571) 272-4787.

An outstanding final Office action was mailed July 24, 2006 that requires a reply from the applicant.

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